Academic Libraries Section KLA Quarterly Board Report

To: KLA Board

From: Lesley Jackson, Chair, Academic Libraries Section

Date: September 15, 2010

- I. The Awards Committee made its recommendation for the Outstanding Librarian of the Year award recipient, and it was approved by the Executive Committee. The recipient of the award will be announced at the KLA Awards Luncheon on Thursday, Sept. 16.
- II. The Professional Development Committee made its recommendation for Professional Development grant recipients. The Executive Committee approved the recommendation. The recipients are:
 - Nancy Richey (Western Kentucky University) -- \$490 to conduct research on the life of Kentucky's pioneering country music performer, Cynthia May Carver.
 - Susan Martin (Georgetown College) -- \$510 to help fund her sabbatical to conduct research on the Bodleian Library at Oxford University.
- III. The Nominating Committee will be putting forward the following slate of officers for a vote at the ALS business meeting on Sept. 16:
 - Chair-elect Sandy Ferrell (West Kentucky CTC)
 - Secretary Melissa Brooks (Morehead State University)
- IV. James Manasco (University of Louisville) has been serving as the ALS's representative on the KLA Annual Conference Planning Committee. James coordinated ALS's sponsored speaker, Juliane Schneider (Countway Library, Harvard Medical School), who will be presenting "What is that Metadata Librarian Doing, and How Did She Get There?" Ms. Schneider will speak on Thursday, Sept. 16, at 3:10 pm.